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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 8/15/2022 - Final

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	This Week	Last Reported 8/8/2022	Last Year
Total Receipts:	1,788	2,212	8,769
Feeder Sheep/ Lambs:	1,650(92.3%)	1,208(54.6%)	5,948(67.8%)
Slaughter Sheep/ Lambs:	137(7.7%)	620(28.0%)	1,417(16.2%)
Replacement Sheep/ Lambs:	0(0.0%)	0(0.0%)	55(0.6%)
Feeder Goats:	0(0.0%)	101(4.6%)	395(4.5%)
Slaughter Goats:	1(0.1%)	283(12.8%)	949(10.8%)
Replacement Goats:	0(0.0%)	0(0.0%)	5(0.1%)

Special Note: Next sale 8-29-22

Compared to last week: Feeder lambs under 80 lbs sold sharply lower with most sales 20.00-40.00 lower. Feeder lambs 80-109 lbs sold 7.00-15.00 higher, lambs over 110 lbs were too lightly tested to develop an accurate market trend, steady undertones were noticed. Demand was stronger this sale than last. Traditional lamb feeders returned to the market this week and were active in purchasing lambs to feed. Farmer feeders were also active in buying lambs to turn back out on grass or run on beet tops. Traditional lamb buyers were looking for very high quality lambs and passed on plain or average quality lambs. Slaughter lambs were not tested this week as buyers tried to buy lambs lower and were unwilling to push the market to fill orders. No lambs sold to slaughter buyers this week. Slaughter ewes sold on light to moderate demand for light offerings. Good fleshed ewes sold with the best demand this week. Good ewes were too lightly tested to develop an accurate market trend, however higher undertones were noticed. Utility ewes were too lightly tested to develop an accurate market trend, lower undertones were noticed. Quality today was average to attractive. Slaughter kids were scarcely tested this week as this sale featured lambs. Supply included: 92% Feeder Sheep/Lambs (100% Lambs); 8% Slaughter Sheep/Lambs (86% Ewes, 14% Bucks); 0% Slaughter Goats (100% Kids).

FEEDER SHEEP/LAMBS**LAMBS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

<u>Head</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>							
68	51-58	53	157.00-160.00	158.67							
144	60-68	66	149.00-161.00	152.78		131	73-79	75	151.00-159.00	155.55	
333	81-89	85	152.50-159.00	156.87							



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